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Subject: RE: I/M/O Lansing Rod and Gun Club Docket No. RCRA-02-2016-7301 [IWOV-ACTIVE.FID1716645]

Good Day Ms. Hayden,

I just returned from travel to Africa, but am in receipt of your email. Please let me know if I can assist in any way.

Thank you.

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Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2017 3:01 PM

To: Oropallo, Michael A.

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Dear Mr. Oropallo, et al

I hope that all is well, and the Club and others impacted by the storms in the area are recovering. My thoughts are also with the people of Texas and the Gulf states experiencing historical flooding from Hurricane Harvey.

The reason for this communication is to advise you that Ed Guster, the Case Manager and authorized EPA Inspector, will be in the area of the Club during the week of Sept. 9th through Sept. 13, 2017 to conduct compliance inspections. However, the purpose for Ed Guster's visit to the Site of the Club is to inspect the conditions on the property at the Site and report back to EPA his findings. In full disclosure, please be advised that Ron Lockwood, another EPA Inspector, will be with Ed Guster. However, Mr. Lockwood is accompanying Mr. Guster as an observer only. He has no role insofar as the Lansing matter is concerned.

In your last email communication with me after the past rainstorm event, you indicated that the Club may have to change its preferred option under the Order because the damage to the Club's property was quite extensive. After Mr. Guster's Site visit, EPA would like to schedule a conference call with you to discuss among other things: (a) what are the other options the Club may be considering to comply with the Order?; (b) whether the rainstorm constitutes a Force Majeure Delay which may affect the Club's ability to implement the Order in a timely manner; (c) whether the Order may have to be modified as a result of the rainstorm event; and if so, what is the appropriate way to effect such a modification?

I do not know if you need or wish to be present during the Site visit. However, EPA would appreciate your assistance to advise the Club officers of the Site visit by Mr. Guster, and have someone from the Club show him around the Site. I believe the dates that Mr. Guster will be in the area of the Club are Sept. 11th, Sept. 12, and/or Sept. 13th. The Club can advise Mr. Guster which date is preferable for the Site visit. The time frame would be from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM.

If you wish to discuss any of the above, you may contact me at (212) 637-3230. Thank you for your attention to this urgent matter.

Sincerely,

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